

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

The allowance of claims 1-6 and 17-23 is acknowledged with appreciation.

The rejection of claims 7-10 under 35 USC 101 is moot in view of those claims being canceled without prejudice.

Conclusion

This Reply is believed to be responsive to all points raised in the Office action.

Accordingly, prompt allowance and passage of the application to issue are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner have any remaining questions or concerns, he/she is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney by telephone to expeditiously resolve such concerns.

Respectfully submitted,

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